## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

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## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

| | *Average for the past five years.* | *Current.* | |
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| Prices of food grains—Rice ... | 7·47 | 8·05 | seers per rupee. |
| Ragi ... | 13·15 | 16·50 | |
| Rangoon rice ... | | 9·20 | |

Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.

*Agricultural operations.*—Harvesting of ragi.

*Standing crops* are in fair condition.

Outturn 12 annas in a rupee.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Reaping of ragi crop in parts of almost all the taluks, and that of paddy crop in parts of Bangalore, Channapatna, Kankanhalli, Anekal and Devanhalli.

*Standing crops*, such as paddy, sugar cane, kulthi and other minor crops, are in good condition.

*Crops harvested with their outturn.*—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Ragi in parts of | Bangalore, | yield | 8 to 12 annas. |
| Do | Dodballapur, | do | 12 do |
| Do | Nelamangala, | do | 4 to 12 do |
| Do | Magadi, | do | 8 do |
| Do | Anekal, | do | 12 do |
| Do | Closepet, | do | 8 do |
| Paddy in parts of | Anekal, | do | 12 do |
| Do | Bangalore, | do | 16 do |
| Sugar cane do | do | do | 12 to 16 annas. |

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna and Anekal and in Closepet town, public health is generally good.

12. Except for rinderpest in parts of Kankanhalli and for 'Jarasal Roga' in Anekal town, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

## KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing in Kolar; sowing in Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur and harvesting in Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur.

*Crops sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda, and jola in Goribidnur.

*Standing crops*, such as sugar cane, paddy and ragi, are in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Ragi in all the taluks, yield 8 to 16 annas; paddy in Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Chikballapur, Goribidnur, Malur and Gudibanda, yield 8 to 16 annas; same in Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur, yield 8 to 16 annas; sajje in Bagepalli and Gudibanda, yield 8 to 16 annas; groundnuts in Kolar, yield 8 to 16 annas; horse gram in Sidlaghatta, yield 8 annas; sugar cane in Bagepalli, yield 12 annas and potatoes in Malur, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available. Labor is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Kolar Gold Fields, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are abundant in all the taluks.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Pavagada and Koratagere; jola in Maddagiri and Tiptur; Bengal gram in Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Tiptur; coriander in Gubbi, and wheat and doddaragi in Pavagada.

*Crops harvested.*—Ragi in all the taluks except Kunigal; paddy in Tumkur Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Koratagere; navane in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada; sajje in Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada; savè in Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi; korle in Sira and Pavagada; baragu in Pavagada; sugar cane in Kunigal and Turuvekere; togari and castor in Koratagere.

*Condition of crops.*—Good in Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi, Kunigal, Koratagere and Turuvekere; fair in Tumkur, Sira, Tiptur and Pavagada.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food grains are available and cooly is available to labouring classes.

11. Except for plague at Tumkur, Tiptur and Turuvekere towns and two villages in the Tumkur Taluk and at a single village of the Gubbi Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available for cattle.

MYSORE.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Bengal gram in parts of the Yedatore Taluk.

*Standing crops* are reported to be in a good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Ragi in parts of Mysore, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, Mandya and Nagamangala; paddy in parts of Mysore, Chamarajnagar, Hunsur, Yedatore and Krishnarajpete; til in parts of Chamrajnagar; horse gram in parts of Hunsur; black and green grams in parts of Heggaddevankote; groundnuts in parts of Nanjangud; samé in parts of Mandya and Nagamangala; sugar cane in parts of Mandya, and haraka in parts of Nagamangala.

*Outturn.*—Paddy in parts of Krishnarajpete; haraka, ragi, and samè in parts of Nagamangala, yield 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Plague prevails in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete, Nagamangala and French Rocks. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. Except for 'foot and mouth disease' in parts of Nanjangud, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as sugar cane, paddy, kulthi, avare, togari and kadle in Hassan, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur; transplanted paddy and ragi in Manjarabad; paddy, togari, avare and chillies in Arkalgud; sugar cane in Belur; castor, til, chillies, savé and haraka in Channarayapatna; castor and til in Arsikere; black and green grams, tadagani, castor and til in Hole-Narsipur; kulthi, avare and togari in Alur, are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in parts of Hassan, Manjarabad, Belur and Arkalgud; ragi, paddy, black gram and tadagani in parts of Hole-Narsipur; paddy and sugar cane in Alur. It is reported that in some villages of the Salagame hobli of Hassan, togari and avare crops are attacked by some pest.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11 Except for plague in parts of Belur, Arsikere, and Channarayapatna, in Marasu of Alur and Saklespur Town, public health is generally good.

12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy, but at Kuruvanka in Arsikere Taluk, the Assistant Veterinary Inspector is examining unhealthy cattle for treatment.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Bengal gram in Shimoga and wheat in Honnali.

*Standing crops*, such as sugar cane in all parts of the district; paddy in Channagiri, and Honnali; horse gram in Shimoga, Shikarpur and Sorab; and chillies in Shikarpur are in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Paddy in Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; ragi in Shimoga, Channagiri, Sorab and Kumsi; jola in Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali; samé and gingelly in Shimoga; and arecanut in Sorab, Sagar and Nagar. The estimated yield of paddy, ragi, jola and sugar cane in Channagiri and of paddy and arecanut in Nagar is 12 annas, and the yield of paddy, arecanut and sugar-cane in Tirthahalli is 14 annas, 10 annas and 8 annas, respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. But for plague in parts of Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur and Kumsi, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Fodder and water are available. 'Dod roga' is reported to be prevailing in parts of Honnali and Shikarpur and 'foot and mouth disease' in parts of Sorab.

## KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

*Crops sown.*—Garlic, fenugreek and Bengal gram in Chikmagalur.

*Standing crops.*—

In Chikmagalur—Paddy, sugar cane, coriander, castor, avare, kulthi, togari, coffee and chillies.

In Kadur—Paddy, ragi, sugar cane, avare, togari, Bengal gram, coriander, jola, khurasani, savé, navane, castor and chillies.

In Tarikere—Paddy, ragi, kulthi, avare, coriander, wheat, cotton and sugar cane.
In Koppa—Paddy, sugar cane, coffee and pepper.
In Mudgere—Paddy, coffee and cardamom.
In Yedahalli—Paddy, areca, sugar cane and coffee.
In Sringeri—Paddy and sugar cane.
All these are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Chikmagalur—paddy, yield 12 to 16 annas; Kadur—paddy, 14 annas, ragi 12 annas and sugar cane; Tarikere—paddy, ragi, jola each 12 annas. Koppa—paddy and coffee. Mudgere—paddy and coffee, yield 12 annas each. Yedahalli and Sringeri—paddy and areca, yield 12 annas each.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food grains are sufficiently available.

11. Except for plague in the towns and some of the villages of Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. But 'foot and mouth disease' still prevails in certain villages of Chikmagalur. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as sugar cane, Bengal gram, horse gram, chillies, togari, cotton, jola, samè, haraka, avare, tadagani, castor, green and black grams, are in good condition.

*Seeds sown.*—Paddy and wheat in the Challakere Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Ragi, navane and sajje in the Chitaldrug, Hiriyur and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 8 to 16 annas; paddy in the Molakalmuru Taluk, yield 12 annas; samè and haraka in the Hosdurga Taluk, yield 12 to 16 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE,
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